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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal					
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1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing					
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding					
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable					
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		1,330	2453		Petition to revive - unintentional					
Fee from _	1501	1,330	2501		Utility issue fee (or reissue)					
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- (2) a signed Declaration and Power of Attorney;
- (3) a check including \$65.00 to cover the surcharge; and
- (4) a Petition for Extension of Time (4 months).

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Respectfully submitted, Robert Fozard et al.

Date: September 16, 2004

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